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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

In response to the Office Action mailed on January 19, 2001, please amend the application as follows.

In the claims:

Cancel claims 1-9, 11, 12, and 16-38.

Amend claim 10.